

## Class 10 Maths Chapter 4 Quadratic Equations MCQs For Practice

**1. The degree of a quadratic equation is**

- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 4

**2. Which of the following is a quadratic equation?**

- (a)  $x^2 + 2x + 1 = (4 - x)^2 + 3$
- (b)  $-2x^2 = (5 - x)(2x - (2/5))$
- (c)  $(k + 1)x^2 + (3/2)x = 7$ , where  $k = -1$
- (d)  $x^3 - x^2 = (x - 1)^3$

**3. If  $1/2$  is a root of the equation  $x^2 + kx - 5/4 = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is**

- (a) 2
- (b) -2
- (c)  $1/4$
- (d)  $1/2$

**4. The discriminant of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  is**

- (a)  $D = b^2 - 4bc$
- (b)  $D = a^2 - bc$
- (c)  $D = b^2 - 4ac$
- (d)  $D = c^2 - 4ab$

**5. The constant should be added and subtracted to solve the quadratic equation  $4x^2 - \sqrt{3}x - 5 = 0$  by the method of completing the square is**

- (a)  $9/16$
- (b)  $3/16$
- (c)  $3/4$
- (d)  $\sqrt{3}/4$

**6. Which of the following is not a quadratic equation?**

- (a)  $(x - 2)^2 + 1 = 2x - 3$
- (b)  $x(x + 1) + 8 = (x + 2)(x - 2)$
- (c)  $x(2x + 3) = x^2 + 1$
- (d)  $(x + 2)^3 = x^3 - 4$

**7. The roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - 55x + 750 = 0$  are**

- (a) 30 and 25
- (b) -30 and -25
- (c) 70 and 15
- (d) 25 and -30

**8. Values of  $k$  for which the quadratic equation  $2x^2 - kx + k = 0$  has equal roots is**

- (a) 0 only
- (b) 4

- (c) 8 only
- (d) 0, 8

9.  $(x^2 + 1)^2 - x^2 = 0$  has

- (a) four real roots
- (b) two real roots
- (c) no real roots
- (d) one real root

10. Which constant must be added and subtracted to solve the quadratic equation  $9x^2 + (3/4)x - \sqrt{2} = 0$  by the method of completing the square?

- (a)  $1/8$
- (b)  $1/64$
- (c)  $1/4$
- (d)  $9/64$

\*\*\*\*\* ANSWER KEY \*\*\*\*\*

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|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1 - (b) | 2 - (d) | 3 - (a) | 4 - (c) | 5 - (b)  |
| 6 - (b) | 7 - (a) | 8 - (d) | 9 - (c) | 10 - (b) |